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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully requests a one month extension of time for filing an Appeal Brief in response to the Notice of Appeal mailed June 24, 2003 and received in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 1, 2003. The response period is presently set to expire on September 1, 2003, and if this Request for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be October 1, 2003.

A check in the amount of \$440.00 for the Appeal Brief filing fee (\$330.00) and one-month extension fee (\$110.00) is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Davis Munck Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

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